

CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
Geography Division, ORR
Project Initiation Memorandum

To: Acting Chief, Geographic Research Project No.: 64.1518
From: Acting Chief, Geography Division Date: 8 March 1957

1. Subject of Proposed Project: Volcanic Eruption on Kamchatka.
2. Statement of Problem: To analyze the volcanic activity in the Klyuchi area. A recent sizable explosion near the settlement of Klyuchi, coupled with reports of intensified scientific activity nearby, has raised the question of possible association.
3. Requester: St/CSS/RR
4. Responsible Analyst: [REDACTED], USSR Branch
5. Kind and Extent of Cooperation Desired from:
 - a. Other divisions of the Geographic Area: Location Map by D/GC.
 - b. Other parts of CIA: OMIC, OSI/NED
 - c. Outside CIA: Coast and Geodetic Survey
6. Estimated Man Hours: 40
7. Probable Completion Date: March 1957.
8. Probable Form of Final Publication: G/I

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/s/ [REDACTED]
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Acting Chief, Geographic Research

15 MAR 1957

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